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Could you post the two attached spreadsheets on the NWG site? Many in the NWG would like to see them, and would prefer them posted to link within the NWG website.

The title of these sheets is:

EPA Guidance Private Demonstration of Substantial and Widespread Impacts--Blank Sheets and Private Company Example (with plausible data from a made-up company)

Jeff

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Company Name			
<u> </u>	Project Information		
Capital costs to be financed	r roject information		
Interest rate for financing			
Annual cost of operation and maintenance (including but no inspection, permitting fees, waste disposal charges, repair, replacement)*	_		
	Discharger Information	1	
Three most recently completed fiscal years (most recent first)			
Fina	ncial Information for Specified	Fiscal Years	
Revenues			
Cost of goods sold (including the cost of materials, direct labor, indirect labor, rent and heat)			
Portion of corporate overhead assigned to the discharger (selling, general, administrative, interest, R&D expenses, and depreciation on common property)			
Net income after taxes			
Depreciation			
Current assets (the sum of inventories, prepaid expenses, and accounts receivable)			
Current liabilities (the sum of accounts payable, accrued expenses, taxes, and the current portion of long-term debt)			
Current debt			
Long-term debt			
Long-term liabilities (long-term debt such as bonds, debentures, and bank debt, and all other noncurrent liabilities such as deferred income taxes)			

Owner equity (the difference between total assets and	
total liabilities, including contributed or paid in capital and	
retained earnings)	

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## Worksheet G

# **Calculation of Total Annualized Project Costs**

Capital costs to be financed	\$0	(1)
Interest rate for financing	0%	(i)
Time period of financing (years)	10	(n)
Annualization factor = i/((1+i) <sup>n</sup> - 1) + i	0.1000	(2)
Annualized capital cost [ (1) × (2) ]	\$0	(3)
Annual cost of operation and maintenance (including but not limited to monitoring, inspection, permitting fees, waste disposal charges, repair, administration and replacement)*	\$0	(4)
Total annual cost of pollution control project [ (3) + (4) ]	\$0	(5)

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#### Worksheet H

# Calculation of Earnings Before Taxes With and Without Pollution Control Project Costs

## A. Earnings Without Pollution Control Project Costs

CO =

EBT = R - CGS - CO

Where: EBT = Earnings before taxes

R = Revenues

CGS = Cost of goods sold (including the cost of materials, direct labor,

indirect labor, rent and heat)

Portion of corporate overhead assigned to the discharger (selling,

general, administrative, interest, R&D expenses, and

depreciation on common property)

	Three Most Recently Completed Fiscal Years				
R	\$0	\$0	\$0	(1)	
CGS	\$0	\$0	\$0	(2)	
со	\$0	\$0	\$0	(3)	
EBT [ (1) - (2) - (3) ]	\$0	\$0	\$0	(4)	

Yes, use .

Is the most recent year typical of the three years?

No, use . It is most typical of the analysis period.

No, use . It is most typical of the analysis period.

#### Worksheet I

# Calculation of Profit Rates With and Without Pollution Control Project Costs

# A. Profit Rate Without Project Costs

 $PRT = EBT \div R$ 

Where: PRT = Profit rate before taxes

EBT = Earnings before taxes

R = Revenues

	Three Mos			
EBT [Worksheet H, (4)]	\$0	\$0	\$0	(1)
R [Worksheet H, (1)]	\$0	\$0	\$0	(2)
PRT [ (1)/(2) ]	0.00	0.00	0.00	(3)

Considerations: How have profit rates changed over the three years?

How do these profit rates compare with the profit rates for this line of business?

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## B. Profit Rate With Pollution Control Costs

#### $PRPR = EWPR \div R$

Where: PRPR = Profit rate with pollution control costs

EWPR = Before-tax earnings with pollution control costs

R = Revenues

EWPR [Worksheet H, (7)]	\$0	(4)
R [Worksheet H, (1)]	\$0	(5)
PRPR [ (4)/(5) ]	0.00	(6)

#### Considerations:

What is the percentage change in the profit rate due to pollution control costs? (PRPR - PRT)/PRT imes 100 0%

How does the profit rate with pollution control compare to the profit rate of this line of business?

		Worksheet J				
	Calc	ulation of the Current	Ratio			
		CR = CA ÷ CL				
Where:	CR =	Current ratio				
	CA =	accounts receivable)				
	CL =	Current liabilities (the expenses, taxes, and				
	Three Mos	t Recently Completed F	iscal Years			
CA	\$0	\$0	\$0	(1)		
CL	\$0	\$0	\$0	(2)		
CR [ (1)/(2) ]	0.00	0.00	0.00	(3)		
Consideration	is: cent year typical of the three	•Yes, use .				
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vears?	ratio (3) greater than 2.0?	ONo, use . It is most	typical of the analys	is periou.		

	Cal	culation of Beaver's Rat	io	
		BR = CF ÷ TD		
Where:	BR =	Beaver's Ratio		
	CF =	Cash flow		
	TD =	Total debt		
	Three M	ost Recently Completed	Fiscal Years	
Cash flow:				
Net income after taxes	\$0	\$0	\$0	(1)
Depreciation	\$0	\$0	\$0	(2)
CF [ (1) + (2) ]	\$0	\$0	\$0	(3)
Total debt:				
Current debt	\$0	\$0	\$0	(4)
Long-term debt	\$0	\$0	\$0	(5)
Total debt [ (4) + (5) ]	\$0	\$0	\$0	(6)
Beaver's Ratio:			1	
BR [ (3)/(6) ]	0.00	0.00	0.00	(7)
Considerations:				
		•Yes, use .		
Is the most recent year t	ypical of the three	ONo use It is mos	t typical of the analysis	neriod
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Is the Beaver's Ratio for	this discharger greate			
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		Debt to Equity F	Ratio			
		DER = LTL ÷ C	DE			
Where:	DER =	Debt/equity ratio				
	LTL =			onds, debentures, and bar s deferred income taxes)		
OE = Owner equity (the difference between total assets and total liabilities, including contributed or paid in capital and retained earnings)						
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.TL	\$0	\$0	\$0	(1)		
DE	\$0	\$0	\$0	(2)		
DER [ (1)/(2) ]	0.00	0.00	0.00	(3)		
Considerations:		•Yes, use .				
s the most recer hree years?	nt year typical of the		typical of the analysis pe typical of the analysis pe			
How does the de	ebt to equity ratio (3) c	ompare with the ratio fo	r firms in the same busin	iess?		

		Primary Measure		Secondary Measures		
Entity Name Annual Pollution Control Costs	Annual Pollution Control Costs	Profit Test				Debt/Equity
		Without Pollution Controls	With Pollution Controls	Current Ratio	Beaver's Ratio	Ratio
	\$0	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
ndustry Average	N/A		N/A			

Summarize and discuss company's financial circumstances with and without pollution controls.

Community Social and Economic Indicators	
Define the affected community in this case; what areas are included	
Current unemployment rate in affected community (if available)	
Current national unemployment rate	
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in affected community due to compliance with water quality standards	
Current number of persons collecting unemployment in affected community	
Labor force in affected community	
Median household income in affected community	
Total number of households in affected community	
Percent of population below the poverty line in affected community	
Current expenditures on social services in affected community	
Expected expenditures on social services due to job losses in the affected community	
Current total tax revenues in the affected community	
Tax revenues paid by the private entity to the affected community	
Current statewide unemployment rate	
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in the state due to compliance with water quality standards	
Current number of persons collecting unemployment in state	
Labor force in state	
Current expenditures on social services in state	
Expected statewide expenditures on social services due to job losses	

#### **Worksheet N**

# Factors to Consider in Making a Determination of Widespread Social and Economic Impacts

Define the affected community in this case; what areas are included	0	(1)
Current unemployment rate in affected community (if available)	0.00%	(2)
Current national unemployment rate	0.00%	(3)
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in affected community due to compliance with water quality standards	0	(4)
Expected unemployment rate in the affected community after compliance with water quality standards ([Current # of persons collecting unemployment in affected community + (4)]/labor force in affected community)	0.00%	(5)
Median household income in affected community	\$0	(6)
Total number of households in affected community	0	(7)
Percent of population below the poverty line in affected community	0.00%	(8)
Current expenditures on social services in affected community	\$0	(9)
Expected expenditures on social services due to job losses in the affected community	\$0	(10)
Current total tax revenues in the affected community	\$0	(11)
Tax revenues paid by the private entity to the affected community	\$0	(12)
Tax revenues paid by the private entity as a percentage of the affected community's total tax revenues *	0.00%	(13)
Current statewide unemployment rate	0.00%	(14)
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in the state due to compliance with water quality standards	0	(15)
Expected statewide unemployment rate, after compliance with water quality standards ([Current # of persons collecting unemployment in state + (15)]/labor force in state)	0.00%	(16)
Current expenditures on social services in state	\$0	(17)
Expected statewide expenditures on social services due to job losses	\$0	(18)
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0013405 \* In some cases, the affected community will include more than just the municipality in which the private entity is located. If so, the analysis should consider the private entity's tax revenues as a percentage of the tax revenues

# **EXAMPLE MINING COMPANY**

# CONSOLIDATED STATEMENTS OF OPERATIONS AND COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)

(In thousands)

Year ended December 31,	2010	2009	2008
REVENUES			
Mine production	\$ 381,044	\$ 306,892	\$ 360,364
PGM recycling	168,612	81,788	475,388
Other	6,222	5,752	19,980
Total revenues	555,878	394,432	855,732
COSTS AND EXPENSES			
Costs of metals sold:			
Mine production	229,986	209,140	283,793
PGM recycling	157,310	75,920	448,351
Other	6,379	5,741	19,892
Total costs of metals sold	393,675	290,801	752,036
Depletion, depreciation and amortization:			
Mine production	71,121	70,239	82,792
PGM recycling	472	178	192
Total depletion, depreciation and amortization	71,593	70,417	82,984
Total costs of revenues	465,268	361,218	835,020
Marketing	2,415	1,987	5,705
General and administrative	33,016	25,080	26,712
Restructuring	-	-	5,420
Losses on trade receivables and inventory purchases	595	1,051	29,409
Impairments of long-term investments and property, plant and equipment	-	119	70,628
(Gain)/loss on disposal of property, plant and equipment	(128)	689	196
Total costs and expenses	501,166	390,144	973,090
OPERATING INCOME (LOSS)	54,712	4,288	(117,358)
OTHER INCOME (EXPENSE)			
Other	(6)	79	144
Interest income	2,144	1,846	11,103
Interest expense	(6,536)	(6,801)	(9,718)
Foreign currency transation gain	51	-	
Induced conversion loss	<u>.</u>	(8,097)	-

INCOME (LOSS) BEFORE INCOME TAX BENEFIT (PROVISION)	50,365	(8,685)	(115,829)
Income tax benefit (provision)	-	30	32
NET INCOME (LOSS)	50,365	(8,655)	(115,797)
Other comprehensive income (loss), net of tax	(762)	70	5,865
COMPREHENSIVE INCOME (LOSS)	\$ 49,603	\$ (8,585)	\$ (109,932)
Note: Entries in orange are used in worksheet calculation	ns (see 'Sample Inpu	ts' tab)	

Company Name		EXAMPLE MINING COMPANY
	Project Informati	on
Capital costs to be financed		
Interest rate for financing		
inspection, permitting fees, waste disposa	al charges, repair, administration and	

Note: Information below comes from links to income statement and balance sheet on 'Sample Financial Information' tab. These links demonstrate how to populate the 'Inputs' tab using a company's financial information.

Discharger Information				
Three most recently completed fiscal years (most recent first)	2010	2009	2008	
Financia	al Information for Specified F	iscal Years		
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Portion of corporate overhead assigned to the discharger (selling, general, administrative, interest, R&D expenses, and depreciation on common property)	\$111,838,000	\$112,316,000	\$219,525,000	
Net income after taxes	\$50,365,000	-\$8,655,000	-\$115,797,000	
Depreciation	\$71,593,000	\$70,417,000	\$82,984,000	
Current assets (the sum of inventories, prepaid expenses, and accounts receivable)	\$349,367,000	\$319,021,000	\$282,535,000	
Current liabilities (the sum of accounts payable, accrued expenses, taxes, and the current portion of long-term debt)	\$58,202,000	\$49,476,000	\$55,108,000	
Current debt		-	\$97,000	
Long-term debt	\$196,010,000	\$195,977,000	\$210,947,000	
Long-term liabilities (long-term debt such as bonds, debentures, and bank debt, and all other noncurrent liabilities such as deferred income taxes)	\$268,196,000	\$228,908,000	\$246,627,000	

Owner equity (the difference between total assets and			
total liabilities, including contributed or paid in capital and	\$583,072,000	\$446,811,000	\$421,294,000
retained earnings)			

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Company Name	Sample Discharger
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Note: Characteristics of this company (e.g., financial data, employment) are based on averages in the food manufacturing industry. This example is used to demonstrate how an examination of substantial and widespread impacts may be conducted. An actual analysis would be based on financial data and other characteristics of a real company.

Project Information			
Capital costs to be financed	\$2,736,000		
Interest rate for financing *	7%		
Annual cost of operation and maintenance (including but not limited to monitoring, inspection, permitting fees, waste disposal charges, repair, administration and replacement)	\$85,000		
**			

<sup>\*</sup> The interest rate on the loan should be equivalent to the rate the applicant pays when it borrows money. If it is impossible to determine the appropriate interest rate, assume an interest rate equal to the prime rate plus one percent.

<sup>\*\*</sup> For recurring costs that occur less frequently than once a year, pro rate the cost over the relevant number of years (e.g., for pumps replaced once every three years, include one-third of the cost in each year).

	Discharger Information		
Three most recently completed fiscal years (most recent first)	2010	2009	2008
Financi	al Information for Specified F	iscal Years	
Revenues	\$9,261,350	\$8,154,375	\$8,499,270
Cost of goods sold (including the cost of materials, direct labor, indirect labor, rent and heat)	\$8,554,348	\$7,445,406	\$7,859,804
Portion of corporate overhead assigned to the discharger (selling, general, administrative, interest, R&D expenses, and depreciation on common property)	\$238,673	\$203,921	\$220,477
Net income after taxes	\$411,285	\$450,298	\$365,549
Depreciation	\$178,513	\$147,695	\$145,728
Current assets (the sum of inventories, prepaid expenses, and accounts receivable)	\$1,992,900	\$1,693,617	\$1,776,111
Current liabilities (the sum of accounts payable, accrued expenses, taxes, and the current portion of long-term debt)	\$1,019,481	\$891,867	\$1,050,135
Current debt	\$369,156	\$358,501	\$411,489
Long-term debt	\$633,155	\$695,118	\$703,027
Long-term liabilities (long-term debt such as bonds, debentures, and bank debt, and all other noncurrent liabilities such as deferred income taxes)	\$698,068	\$772,490	\$767,285
Owner equity (the difference between total assets and total liabilities, including contributed or paid in capital and retained earnings)	\$1,585,632	\$1,211,272	\$1,142,998

## Worksheet G

# **Calculation of Total Annualized Project Costs**

\$2,736,000	(1)
7%	(i)
10	(n)
0.1424	(2)
\$389,545	(3)
\$85,000	(4)
\$475,000	(5)
	7%  10  0.1424  \$389,545  \$85,000

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#### Worksheet H

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CO =

EBT = R - CGS - CO

Where: EBT = Earnings before taxes

R = Revenues

CGS = Cost of goods sold (including the cost of materials, direct labor,

indirect labor, rent and heat)

Portion of corporate overhead assigned to the discharger (selling,

general, administrative, interest, R&D expenses, and

depreciation on common property)

	Three Most Recently Completed Fiscal Years			
	2010	2009	2008	
R	\$9,261,350	\$8,154,375	\$8,499,270	(1)
cgs	\$8,554,348	\$7,445,406	\$7,859,804	(2)
со	\$238,673	\$203,921	\$220,477	(3)
EBT [ (1) - (2) - (3) ]	\$468,329	\$505,048	\$418,989	(4)

•Yes, use 2010.

Is the most recent year typical of the three years?

No, use 2009. It is most typical of the analysis period.

No, use 2008. It is most typical of the analysis period.

#### Worksheet I

# Calculation of Profit Rates With and Without Pollution Control Project Costs

## A. Profit Rate Without Project Costs

 $PRT = EBT \div R$ 

Where: PRT = Profit rate before taxes

EBT = Earnings before taxes

R = Revenues

	Three Most Recently Completed Fiscal Years			
	2010	2009	2008	
EBT [Worksheet H, (4)]	\$468,329	\$505,048	\$418,989	(1)
R [Worksheet H, (1)]	\$9,261,350	\$8,154,375	\$8,499,270	(2)
PRT [ (1)/(2) ]	0.05	0.06	0.05	(3)

Considerations: How have profit rates changed over the three years?

The company's profit rate has remained fairly stable over the past three years.

How do these profit rates compare with the profit rates for this line of business?

The average profit rate in the food manufacturing industry was 7 percent in 2009 and 2010, and 6 percent in 2008. This company's profit rate of 5 percent is slightly below the industry average.

## **Worksheet I, Continued**

## **B.** Profit Rate With Pollution Control Costs

#### $PRPR = EWPR \div R$

Where: PRPR = Profit rate with pollution control costs

EWPR = Before-tax earnings with pollution control costs

R = Revenues

	2010	
EWPR [Worksheet H, (7)]	-\$6,671	(4)
R [Worksheet H, (1)]	\$9,261,350	(5)
PRPR [ (4)/(5) ]	0.00	(6)

#### Considerations:

What is the percentage change in the profit rate due to pollution control costs? (PRPR - PRT)/PRT imes 100%

How does the profit rate with pollution control compare to the profit rate of this line of business? The company's profit rate with pollution control compares unfavorably to the industry average.

#### Worksheet J

#### **Calculation of the Current Ratio**

 $CR = CA \div CL$ 

Where: CR = Current ratio

CA = Current assets (the sum of inventories, prepaid expenses, and

accounts receivable)

CL = Current liabilities (the sum of accounts payable, accrued

expenses, taxes, and the current portion of long-term debt)

	Three Most Recently Completed Fiscal Years			
	2010	2009	2008	
CA	\$1,992,900	\$1,693,617	\$1,776,111	(1)
CL	\$1,019,481	\$891,867	\$1,050,135	(2)
CR [ (1)/(2) ]	1.95	1.90	1.69	(3)

Considerations:

Is the most recent year typical of the three years?

 $^{\circ}$ Yes, use 2010.

•No, use 2009. It is most typical of the analysis period.

No, use 2008. It is most typical of the analysis period.

Is the current ratio (3) greater than 2.0?

No

How does the current ratio (3) compare with the current ratios for other firms in this line of business?

At 1.90, this company's current ratio compares favorably to the average in the food manufacturing industry, which was between 1.25 and 1.32 in each year 2008 to 2010.

#### Worksheet K

#### **Calculation of Beaver's Ratio**

 $BR = CF \div TD$ 

Where: BR = Beaver's Ratio

CF = Cash flow

TD = Total debt

	Three Most Recently Completed Fiscal Years			
	2010	2009	2008	
Cash flow:				
Net income after taxes	\$411,285	\$450,298	\$365,549	(1)
Depreciation	\$178,513	\$147,695	\$145,728	(2)
CF [ (1) + (2) ]	\$589,798	\$597,993	\$511,277	(3)
Total debt:				
Current debt	\$369,156	\$358,501	\$411,489	(4)
Long-term debt	\$633,155	\$695,118	\$703,027	(5)
Total debt [ (4) + (5) ]	\$1,002,311	\$1,053,619	\$1,114,516	(6)
Beaver's Ratio:				
BR [ (3)/(6) ]	0.59	0.57	0.46	(7)

Considerations:

Is the most recent year typical of the three years?

Yes, use 2010.

•No, use 2009. It is most typical of the analysis period.

No, use 2008. It is most typical of the analysis period.

s the Beaver's Ratio for this discharger greater than 0.2?

Yes

is the Beaver's Ratio for this discharger less than 0.15?

Nc

s the Beaver's Ratio for this discharger between 0.2 and 0.15?

No

How does this ratio compare with the Beaver's Ratio for other firms in the same business?

The company's Beaver's Ratio of 0.57 compares favorably to the food manufacturing industry average in each of the past three years: 0.06 in 2010, and 0.07 in 2009 and 2008.

		Worksheet	L		
		Debt to Equity F	Ratio		
		DER = LTL ÷ C	DE		
Where:	DER =	Debt/equity ratio			
	LTL =	Long-term liabilities (long-term debt such as bonds, debentures, and b debt, and all other noncurrent liabilities such as deferred income taxes			
	OE =	Owner equity (the difference between total assets and total liabilities, including contributed or paid in capital and retained earnings)			
			d Fiscal Vears		
		lost Recently Complete			
T1	2010	2009	2008	(4)	
LTL				(1)	
	2010	2009	2008	(1) (2)	
DE	2010 \$698,068	2009 \$772,490	2008 \$767,285		
LTL  OE  DER [ (1)/(2) ]  Considerations:	2010 \$698,068 \$1,585,632	2009 \$772,490 \$1,211,272	2008 \$767,285 \$1,142,998	(2)	
DER [ (1)/(2) ]	2010 \$698,068 \$1,585,632	2009 \$772,490 \$1,211,272	2008 \$767,285 \$1,142,998	(2)	
DER [ (1)/(2) ] Considerations:	2010 \$698,068 \$1,585,632	2009 \$772,490 \$1,211,272 0.64	2008 \$767,285 \$1,142,998	(2)	

The company's debt-to-equity ratio of 0.64 compares favorably to the industry average in each year 2008 to 2010. The industry average was 1.04 in 2010, 1.02 in 2009, and 0.76 in 2008.

Entity Name		Primary Measure  Profit Test		Secondary Measures		
	Annual Pollution Control Costs					Debt/Equity
		Without Pollution Controls	With Pollution Controls	Current Ratio	Beaver's Ratio	Ratio
Sample Discharger	\$475,000	0.05	0.00	1.90	0.57	0.64
Industry Average	N/A	0.06 to 0.07	N/A	1.25 to 1.32	0.06 to 0.07	0.76 to 1.04

Summarize and discuss company's financial circumstances with and without pollution controls.

If the impacts of pollution control costs cannot be reduced through any of the various available mechanisms (such as alternative financing options, alternative compliance schedules, site-specific alternative criteria, variances, and others), this preliminary analysis suggests that pollution control costs could cause an otherwise profitable sample company to become unprofitable (with control costs higher than current profits). As such, assuming inflexibility in compliance, compliance schedules, and company financial statistics, nutrient water quality standards could cause this sample company to reduce production or cease operations.

The company's profit rate after pollution controls suggests the possibility that pollution control costs could have a substantial adverse effect on the sample company in the absence of alternative financing options, compliance flexibility, or other cost-reducing mechanisms. However, this analysis is preliminary and does not employ detailed economic modeling of the company or the industry. It also does not consider any factors which could mitigate potential substantial impacts. For a full understanding of the effects of nutrient water quality standards on any private entity, company-specific analyses would be necessary, including consideration of alternative financing mechanisms, compliance flexibility, and cost-reducing mechanisms. Further, this analysis has examined the characteristics of the example company at a superficial level, considering only its balance sheet and income statement. The company may have other circumstances that could increase or decrease the potential for pollution control costs to cause substantial financial impact.

Community Social and Economic Indicators	
Define the affected community in this case; what areas are included	
Current unemployment rate in affected community (if available)	
Current national unemployment rate	
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in affected community due to compliance with water quality standards	
Current number of persons collecting unemployment in affected community	
Labor force in affected community	
Median household income in affected community	
Total number of households in affected community	
Percent of population below the poverty line in affected community	
Current expenditures on social services in affected community	
Expected expenditures on social services due to job losses in the affected community	
Current total tax revenues in the affected community	
Tax revenues paid by the private entity to the affected community	
Current statewide unemployment rate	
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in the state due to compliance with water quality standards	
Current number of persons collecting unemployment in state	
Labor force in state	
Current expenditures on social services in state	
Expected statewide expenditures on social services due to job losses	

#### **Worksheet N**

# Factors to Consider in Making a Determination of Widespread Social and Economic Impacts

Define the affected community in this case; what areas are included	0	(1)
Current unemployment rate in affected community (if available)	0.00%	(2)
Current national unemployment rate	0.00%	(3)
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in affected community due to compliance with water quality standards	0	(4)
Expected unemployment rate in the affected community after compliance with water quality standards ([Current # of persons collecting unemployment in affected community + (4)]/labor force in affected community)	0.00%	(5)
Median household income in affected community	\$0	(6)
Total number of households in affected community	0	(7)
Percent of population below the poverty line in affected community	0.00%	(8)
Current expenditures on social services in affected community	\$0	(9)
Expected expenditures on social services due to job losses in the affected community	\$0	(10)
Current total tax revenues in the affected community	\$0	(11)
Tax revenues paid by the private entity to the affected community	\$0	(12)
Tax revenues paid by the private entity as a percentage of the affected community's total tax revenues *	0.00%	(13)
Current statewide unemployment rate	0.00%	(14)
Additional number of persons expected to collect unemployment in the state due to compliance with water quality standards	0	(15)
Expected statewide unemployment rate, after compliance with water quality standards ([Current # of persons collecting unemployment in state + (15)]/labor force in state)	0.00%	(16)
Current expenditures on social services in state	\$0	(17)
Expected statewide expenditures on social services due to job losses	\$0	(18)

<sup>\*</sup> In some cases, the affected community will include more than just the municipality in which the private entity is located. If so, the analysis should consider the private entity's tax revenues as a percentage of the tax revenues for only the municipality in which the entity is located.